



City of New Castle

Resident Notice Update

Delaware Street Paving Project

Date: April 21, 2020

The City has recently been informed that the work set to begin on Wednesday, April 22, between Third and Fourth Streets by City contractor Cirillo, has been delayed until the week of April 27, with an expected start date of April 28. At this time any scheduled road closures will be postponed until that week.

The City's contractor Cirillo Brothers will begin replacing the street curbs on Delaware Street between 3rd Street and 4th Street. The contractor will need to close one or both lanes of Delaware Street to vehicular traffic between 3rd Street and 4th Street each day to perform the work. The contractor may also close the sidewalk on the active construction side of this section of road where they are working to not endanger the public, but the sidewalk on the other side of the street will remain open. All closures will start at 8:00 am and be reopened by 5:00 pm each day and no closures are scheduled to occur on weekends. The work is estimated to take between three and six weeks. Multiple unknowns do not allow for a more precise schedule.

During the lane closures, multiple warning signs will be placed and flaggers will be positioned at the intersections to allow one-way traffic to pass, or to direct traffic to detour around the construction. The City understands that this may be inconvenient to some but with one-way traffic on area streets, this was determined to be the best approach.

Residents are asked to obey the flaggers' instructions.

Of course there will be no parking on Delaware Street between 3rd Street and 4th Street, during these times. Parked cars will be towed.

The repaving work on Delaware Street will last for many months and will necessitate both temporary lane restrictions as well as full closures at varying times. The City will provide more information for both as the project progresses.